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BROOKLYN ADVERTISEMENTS.

IT COSTS NOTHING
to see our CORSETS. We have expert fitters and 300 must be suited or not expected to buy. We are MANUFACTURERS and will make the style suited to your form. Our corsets REDUCE ABDOMEN AND LENGTHEN WAIST and are perfectly comfortable. A beautiful and useful SOUVENIR given with each sale this week.

CALIFORNIA CORSET CO.,
445-448 Fulton St., BROOKLYN, N. Y.
Elevator 10 Hoyt Street.

Falling Hair, Itching Scalp, Dandruff Cures, Examination Free.
DR. JOHN AUGUST, 50 years Hair Specialist.
Rejuvenator 88, Two 65 Trial Bottle, 75c.
605 Fulton St., opp. Flatbush av., B'klyn.
Telephone 128-7 Main.

POLICE FOR THE RAILROADS.

MOST OF THE TRUNK LINES HAVE THEIR OWN COP.

The Men Are Kept Busy Hunting for Pickpockets, Cattle Thieves, Tramps and Protecting the Company's Property—Nearly 5,000 Erie Arrests in 1904.

"Have we our own police? Well, I should rather say we had," said a Pennsylvania Railroad official in reply to a question. "We are our own Scotland Yard, or Mulberry Street, or whatever you call it. We have a regular secret service of our own. Between New York and Philadelphia we have something like sixty-eight men in our police force. This includes a chief officer and five sub-officers, and the organization is pretty nearly perfect. "We don't uniform our men, as some roads do, and that's why I think our force is a little more successful than others. We make a point of getting specialists in the various branches of crime."

"For instance, those of our men who look out for pickpockets on passenger trains have a wide personal acquaintance with pickpockets. The result is that now we have scarcely any trouble at all of that sort on our trains. "Then take the yegg men and hoboes who break into freight cars. They are a pretty slick lot. It takes experts to catch them. Set a man to work to catch a thief. Oh, yes, some of our men are so familiar with the crooks that they might have been friends of theirs at some time. But we get results. The Pennsylvania Railroad, we believe, has less trouble in the way of freight car depredations, car riding and general thieving than any other road in the country. "The Erie also has a completely organized police department of its own. The Erie policemen wear uniforms, generally. There is a superintendent of police on the Erie, who is stationed in New York. "Half way along the line there is an inspector and at a number of points between New York and Chicago are stationed captains with four or five patrolmen. All these officers make daily reports to the superintendent of police."

"Our men are selected with great care," said Supt. Schoeffel of the Erie police. "We don't pick our men from the criminal classes as some roads do. I never did believe much in the reformed crook. "We look up their antecedents and keep them employed as yard watchmen for a while before recommending them to the Governors of the various States through which the road passes for commissions. All railway policemen are commissioned by the State."

"What are the duties of our police? Well, here is a dispatch that the section men at Cleveland sent out on a strike. We send an inspector there with a number of men. His business is to employ new hands, to guard the company's property and generally to secure order. "Or take the teamsters' strike in Chicago. The duty of our police officers in Chicago is to hire teams, to guard against violence and in every way to see that the road doesn't suffer by the strike."

"When there is nothing else doing the men travel along the line picking up hoboes, coal thieves and car riders. At a moment's notice a man may have to start for some desolate spot in the hills to run down a gang of yegg men. The yeggs are always armed, so that the life of our police is rather exciting."

"We are always tracing car depredations. When the freight claim agent hears that a car has been broken open, we first establish between what two points this happened. This is easy, because the seals on the cars are examined at a number of stations along the road. "Then we send men to watch that part of the road and we are almost sure to find a camp of hoboes in the neighborhood to whom to trace the robbery. The hoboes are arrested and brought to trial. Our men have to be patrolmen, detectives, lawyers, all in one."

"Two months ago we arrested and brought to trial some sixty men on charges of stealing along the New York and Susquehanna. We had long been troubled by these thefts and we sent an extra force of police to that region. Evidence was collected, a raid made and a lot of well-to-do citizens arrested and convicted."

"The other day we sent a man from Jamestown to the penitentiary for seventeen years for stealing. No more than \$200 worth of stolen goods were found in his possession. "Besides the men are always hunting down pickpockets, three card monte men, green goods men and other suspicious characters. The habit some people have of taking dining car silver as souvenirs is gradually disappearing, thanks to our police. There is some work of so secret a nature that the men themselves don't know what it is for. We have a cipher code for telegrams."

"We've had the force for two years, and it has proved extremely efficient. In 1904 we made 7,200 arrests, 93 of the prisoners paid fines and 741 were sent to jail. Upon \$66 sentence was suspended, 37 were sent to the penitentiary, seven to the insane asylum and 80 turned over to the probation officer; 14 were sent to the reform schools."

"Now, I call that pretty good work, considering that we have no three platoons or anything like that. Our men are on duty twenty-four hours a day. "The New York Central has a system similar to that of the Erie. The Central was one of the first roads in the field with a private police force. Its force dates back to the beginning of the '80s. W. A. Humphrey, the head of it, is called the chief of police and has offices at Albany."

"The Baltimore and Ohio is similarly equipped, and so is the New York, New Haven and Hartford. The police of the latter road are under the guidance of former Detective Sergeant Vallery of Mulberry Street, the worst fox of get-rich-quick concerns."

"The type of man that qualifies for a job in one of the railroad police forces is not at all like the ponderous patrolman of Broadway. The railroad men are keen, alert, wiry fellows. "We could make the city police look like 20 cents," said one of them proudly."

BROOKLYN ADVERTISEMENTS.

The greatest Store and the greatest business in Brooklyn have risen here on the foundation of Public Satisfaction with the best service, the best assortments and lowest prices.

ABRAHAM AND STRAUSS
BROOKLYN.

A Budget of Big Values—The Gist of Monday's Sales.

3,000 yards Imported Wool Velvets, black and colors, 75c. quality, at 37c. a yard.
Men's \$1.00 Shirts at 57c.
75c. English Black Mohair, 59c. a yard.
Second Week of the Great May Sale of Muslim Underwear.
30c. Ribbons, at 25c. a yard.
25c. to 35c. Japanese Paper Fans, 14c.
\$1.00 Leather Hand Bags, 65c. None sent C. O. D.
85,000 Yards Favored Wash Fabrics at Prices That Cannot Be Matched.
Men's \$12.50 to \$15.00 Spring Suits, \$9.75.
High Grade Carpetings—75 patterns, \$1.25, instead of \$1.50 and \$1.75 a yard.
The Sensational Cut Glass Sale Continues.
Silks—Five Fine Offerings.
1,000 Smyrna Rugs—Finest Grade—Under Regular Prices.
Men's \$3.00 Oxfords, \$1.98.
\$5.00 to \$8.00 Watches, \$3.85 to \$3.75.
Women's \$2.50 Oxford Ties and Gilets, \$1.98.
\$4.00 Lawn Waists, \$1.98.
China Silk Waists, \$1.98.
\$10.00 Corsets, at \$4.98.
Big Bargains in Boys' Clothing.
50c. and 55c. White Dress Linens, 35c. a yard.
5 lb. bag Granulated Sugar, 29c. No mail or telephone orders filled. Sugar sold to merchant delivered during the week.
50c. Chignon Hair Combs, 29c.
\$1.65 to \$1.95 Untrimmed Hats, \$1.29.
Men's Suits, made to measure, \$25.00.
\$9.00 "Cort" Gas Cooking Stoves, \$6.67.
The Hosiery Sale of the Season—For Men, Women and Children.
One Thousand Bathroom Fixtures—Half Priced.
\$35.00 to \$75.00 Tailored Suits for Women, \$24.50.

Marvelous Values in Summer Waists.

\$4.00 Lawn Waists, \$1.98.

Of fine quality French lawn, entire front and back of alternate rows of embroidery and Valenciennes insertions, separated with hemstitching, large bishop sleeves, with deep gathered cuffs of Valenciennes lace and embroidery, finished with soft collars.

\$1.00 tailor made Waists, 49c. Of fine quality chevrot, with tailor stitched side plaits; tailored plaits in back, with full bishop sleeves.

\$1.50 Waists, 98c. Three attractive models; one particularly good model is made with entire front of Valenciennes and embroidery panels, forming yoke of tucks and panel, with body of Valenciennes lace, running lengthwise; pretty tucked back, with large bishop sleeves.

Waists at \$1.29. Six different models, with eight rows of large wheel embroidery on front; with three side plaits over shoulder; tucked back; large sleeves, with deep gauntlet cuffs.
\$2.00 and \$2.50 French lawn Waists, \$1.49. With pointed yoke of fine Valenciennes lace, separated with plaids and pin tucks, with body of large silk medallion design, pretty tucked back, with full bishop sleeves.

The Silk Waists Vie in Value Giving.

China Silk Waists, \$1.98. Four different tailored and fancy model Waists, in black and white, tucked, hemstitched and yoke of shirring, with large sleeves and soft collar.

\$4.00 China silk Waists, \$2.98. Very attractive model in China silk, with front panel of silk embroidery, separated with tucks and Valenciennes insertions, full sleeves and crushed collar.

\$5.00 Black and White China Silk Waists, \$3.98. Made with round yoke back and front of Valenciennes insertions, separated with rows of cold shirring; large sleeves with deep cuffs of lace and shirring.

China Silk Waists, \$4.98. In colors, with yoke back and front of snow ball insertions and finished with tailored strap and separated with shirring, forming full blouse; soft collar with deep gauntlet cuffs.
Taffeta Silk Waists, \$4.98. In black only, made with yoke of pin tucking with scroll design of hand made fagoting back and front; large sleeves, with deep cuffs of pin tucking.

Second floor, rear, Central Building.

The Sensational Cut Glass Sale Continues.

Values Never Heard of Before.

This is certainly the most startling example of low pricing in retail history. If there were only a few pieces of this rich, magnificently cut, brilliantly polished Glass at these unheard of prices, it would be a remarkable event; but to-morrow thousands of new pieces will be added of the finest quality at even more bewildering prices. In magnitude or piece compared by piece, value for value, this event dwarfs all others into insignificance.

Cut Glass Bowls.
8 in., \$1.75, regularly \$3.50
8 and 9 in., \$2.49, regularly \$4.00.
8 in., \$3.49, regularly \$5.50.
8 in., \$3.98, regularly \$6.00.
9 in., \$4.49, regularly \$7.50.
Nappies and Olive Dishes.
5 and 6 inch sizes, handled and unhandled.
Fancy shape Olive Dishes, heart, spade, diamond and club designs, regularly \$1.25, at 75c. each.
Cut glass Olive Dishes.
8 in., regularly \$1.50; \$1.25, regularly \$1.75; \$1.40, regularly \$2.00; \$2.49, regularly \$3.75.
Water Bottles.
\$1.95, regularly \$3.75.
\$2.49, regularly \$4.00.
Nappies.
8 in., \$2.25, regularly \$4.50.
Spoon Trays.
\$1.45, regularly \$2.98.
Spoon Holders.
\$2.98, regularly \$4.00.
Ice Cream Trays.
Regularly \$7.50, at \$4.98. Regularly \$9.98, at \$5.98.
Mayonnaise Bowl and Plates.
\$2.98, regularly \$4.00 set. \$3.40, regularly \$5.00 set.
Sugar and Cream Sets.
\$2.45, regularly \$3.50 set.
25c. Water Tumblers 95c. ea.
Footed Ice Cream Dishes.
\$1.49 & \$1.98, regularly \$1.98 and \$2.49 each.
Vinegar and Oil Cruets.
\$1.45, regularly \$2.98 each. Basement, West Building.

White Dress Linen.

50c. and 55c. Values, 35c. Yd.

Splendid quality, pure Irish Dress Linen, yard wide, medium and light weight; very desirable for entire suits and shirt waists; 50c. and 55c. value, at 35c. a yard.

A lot of fine white Irish embroidered Linens, choice variety of pretty patterns; reduced from \$1.49 to \$1.98 to 98c. a yard.
The celebrated Old Bleach, yard wide, Irish Linen, in light, medium or heavy grade; not to be had anywhere else in Brooklyn. 50c. a yard.
Main floor, rear, East Building.

1,000 Smyrna Rugs—Finest Grade—Under Regular Prices.

Sales of second grade Smyrna Rugs at little prices are not unusual—but an offering of freshly woven, perfect Rugs, of the very highest quality from the best makers is not only unusual, but extraordinary. Practically every sort and size, style and design in this sale. When you consider that the regular prices on these rugs are lower than anywhere else, this offering will appeal directly. Savings from the smallest size 18x36 inches, of 40c. to a 9x15 foot rug, of \$9.00. There is no domestic Rug that equals them for service—double weave for they are reversible.

Rug Sizes.
18x84 inches, regularly \$1.25, at 85c.
21x45 inches, regularly \$1.75, at \$1.50.
24x54 inches, regularly \$2.00, at \$1.45.
28x54 inches, regularly \$2.25, at \$1.75.
30x54 inches, regularly \$2.50, at \$1.95.
30x60 inches, regularly \$2.85, at \$2.10.
30x66 inches, regularly \$3.75, at \$2.75.
Carpet Sizes.
6x9 ft., regularly \$13.75, at \$10.75.
7x9 ft., regularly \$21.00, at \$17.50.
9x9 ft., regularly \$24.00, at \$19.50.
8x12 ft., regularly \$28.00, at \$22.50.
9x15 ft., regularly \$35.00, at \$29.50.
Hall Sizes.
21x29 ft., regularly \$6.25, at \$4.95.
24x32 ft., regularly \$8.50, at \$5.75.
26x35 ft., regularly \$10.50, at \$7.00.
28x38 ft., regularly \$12.50, at \$8.50.
30x42 ft., regularly \$15.00, at \$10.50.
32x45 ft., regularly \$18.00, at \$12.50.
34x48 ft., regularly \$21.00, at \$15.00.

FREDERICK LOEBSER & CO.

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FREDERICK LOEBSER & CO.

Frederick Loebser & Co.
In every detail the Leading Retail Establishment of Brooklyn.

"The Foreclosure of the Mortgage," a Great Painting, on Exhibition.

\$160 Persian Lamb Coats, \$98.

Made to Your Measure.

A YEAR AGO WE MADE a similar offering—one without precedent in unusualness and in value giving. The women who were lucky enough to share at that time are still talking about their good fortune. This year, with the price of furs sharply increased, we repeat the offering and the opportunity is even more astonishing. Nobody does, under ordinary circumstances. But when the chance is presented to choose from the most beautiful Persian lambkins; to have a Coat made to your individual measure in your choice of the most desirable models for next season; and at the same time to

Save Sixty-two Dollars by the Transaction.

Then the proposition becomes interesting, even in mid-May. A magnificent stock of the Furs will be ready when you come to-morrow. They are in the favored flat curl known as BROADTAIL PERSIAN, and also in the popular bear curl known generally as Persian lamb. You may select the skins which please you most; select from made-up models the one which you prefer and the Coats will be made to your measure in our own workrooms by our own skilled furriers and in every detail up to the standard you would expect if you should pay full price.

Our gain by the plan is that our furriers will be kept at work all Summer. We expect to take plenty of time to finish the Coats in the very finest manner and, unless you want your Coat sooner, delivery will be made in the early Fall. The skins are especially beautiful. They are all new, all Lelipsic dyed and, in fact, many of them are of a grade which next Fall will be found in Fur Coats at \$300.

Orders which we take to-morrow will be filled at Second Floor, Front. \$98 each

Tables With Dainty Waists

In the Best Offer of the Season : : To-morrow.

PRICES ARE WONDERFULLY LITTLE—but there is more than low prices to stir women's interest in the day's news. These Waists are in every instance as fine as can be had for regular prices—as careful in workmanship, as smart in styles. They were brought under their worth—in many instances close to actual cost. And so these bargains:

50c Cotton Waists at 25c
70c Waists at 49c
\$1.50 Waists at 98c
\$1.70 Lawn Waists at \$1.29
\$2 Silk Muslin Waists at \$1.29
\$2.25 Lawn Waists at \$1.49
\$3 Linen Waists at \$1.98
\$4 to \$5 Waists at \$2.98
\$10 to \$12.50 Lingerie Waists at \$6.98
The Silk Waists.
\$3 Jap Silk Waists at \$1.98
\$4 and \$5 Silk Waists at \$2.98
\$5 Lace Waists at \$3.98
\$5 and \$6 Silk Waists at \$3.98 and \$4.98
\$8.50 Crepe de Chine Waists at \$4.98
\$7.50 to \$12.50 Silk Waists at \$6.98
Second Floor.

May Carpet Sale.

Discontinued Patterns Being Closed Out.

Every yard of the Carpet is fine, perfect and the best product of the best mills in the country. But there must be new styles in Carpets as in dress fabrics, and some patterns have to be dropped to make way for them. It is these designs which we are now offering at such remarkably little prices. Even if you don't expect to need Carpets until the Fall, it will pay to buy now and hold them rather than wait and pay higher prices than even the regular prices are to-day.

29c. Ingrains, worth 45c.
59c. Ingrains, worth 75c.
59c. Tapestry Brussels, worth 75c.
98c. Axminsters, Body Brussels and Velvets, worth \$1.25.
74c. Tapestry Brussels, worth 85c. and 90c.
\$1.29 Axminsters, worth \$1.75.
\$1.24 Wilton Velvets.
\$1.98 Royal Wiltons, worth \$3.
\$1.00 Inlaid Linoleum, worth \$1.50.
Third Floor.

Large Rugs at Low Prices.

\$38.50 Imperial Bigelow Axminster Rugs, \$32.50

In the desired 9x12 feet size—the very finest Axminster Rugs made. The designs and colorings are exquisite, and it is hard to find any other make of Rug that wears as well.

\$33 Bigelow Axminster Rugs, \$28.75.

Very heavy Rugs in the 9x12 feet size and in particularly desirable patterns.

All Wool Smyrna Rugs : : Bargains.

An immense showing of these all wool reversible Rugs in the best designs and colorings and at these remarkable prices:
Size 6x9, regularly \$9 and \$10.50, at \$8 and \$9
Size 7x10, regularly \$14 and \$16.50, at \$12.25 and \$14.50
Size 9x12, regularly \$19.50 and \$22.50, at \$16.75 and \$19.50
Third Floor, Front.

\$25 to \$45 Tailored Suits, \$15

SIXTY-SIX SMART TAILORED SUITS just from the workroom of one of the best makers in New York will make to-morrow as fine a chance as we have had to chronicle this season for women to add to their Summer wardrobe at an unusual price.

The materials include broadcloths, chevots, homespun, fancy mixtures and mohairs, in plain and fancy effects—the most favored fabrics of the season. Coats are mostly the smart and jaunty Etons, in the correct blouse effects. Some coats also are medium and three-quarter lengths. All are silk lined. Skirts are plaited and gored effects.

The Suits are not only very smart in style, but especially well tailored. They average a full \$30 value, and to-morrow's price is half that—FIFTEEN DOLLARS APIECE.

Second Floor, Center. None sent C. O. D.

Men's \$12.50 & \$15 Top Coats

Now TEN DOLLARS Each.

UNUSUAL GOOD FORTUNE for seventy-eight men here to-morrow. Cool mornings and evenings all Summer will find a need for a light, smart Top Coat and to-morrow brings a chance to buy such Coats of LOEBSER STANDARD in tailoring and style and for smart reductions from the former prices.

There are coverts, black and Oxford coatings, in the short box style and also the conservative knee lengths. Many of the Coats are silk faced to the edge.

All sizes for regular and stout men, though not all sizes in every style. The former prices were the lowest at which Coats of equal merit have been sold. The new price makes them a noteworthy bargain.

Main Floor, Elm Place. None sent C. O. D.

\$1.25 Imported Cream Voile—59c.

A STIRRING OFFERING from the Dress Goods Store that will have special interest for every one who has a Commemoration frock or Anniversary Day dress to provide. A splendid, imported cream chiffon Voile, 48 inches wide, and made of the finest wool. A quality that has always sold for \$1.25 a yard, here to-morrow through a fortunate trade twist at LESS THAN HALF PRICE—59c. a yard.

\$1 French Black Voile at 69c.
\$1 Inch Luster Sicilians at 49c.
75c. English Navy Sicilians at 59c.
75c. All Wool Batiste at 59c.
Second Floor.

Remarkable Values in Furniture.

HALF PRICE IN THE CASE of some Divans and Chairs that are to go quickly because they are odd pieces. Prices sharply under the regular on Furniture of many other sorts, especially the Furniture that is needed for country homes. We never before had so many exceptional values in the Furniture Store at this season:

Divans and Chairs at Half Price.

Divans.
\$21.50, regularly \$45.00
\$24.00, regularly \$48.00
\$26.00, regularly \$52.00
\$48.00, regularly \$92.00
Arm Chairs.
\$6.00, regularly \$10.00
\$9.00, regularly \$18.00
\$11.50, regularly \$23.00
\$17.50, regularly \$35.00
Chairs Without Arms.
\$4.50, regularly \$9
\$6.00, regularly \$12
\$7.50, regularly \$15
\$11.50, regularly \$23
Morris Chairs.
\$4.95, regularly \$7
\$9.85, regularly \$11.80
\$6.95, regularly \$9.50
\$11.75, regularly \$16.50
Bedroom Suites.
Consisting of Bedstead and Bureau.
Golden Oak.
\$88, regularly \$98
\$84, regularly \$94
\$120, regularly \$130
Maple.
\$30, regularly \$65
\$49, regularly \$98
\$75, regularly \$115
\$100, regularly \$176
Mahogany.
\$48, regularly \$71
\$60, regularly \$96
\$100, regularly \$178
Weathered Oak.
\$12, regularly \$21
\$28, regularly \$46
Bureaus.
\$6.95, regularly \$8.10 Golden oak.
\$7.65, regularly \$9.50 Golden Oak.
\$9.75, regularly \$11. Golden Oak.
\$10.85, regularly \$15 Golden oak.
All the above have French plate beveled mirrors.

Chiffoniers.
\$3.95, regularly \$5.50
\$4.98, regularly \$6.78
\$8.95, regularly \$11
Sideboards.
\$10.25, regularly \$12.75
\$10.95, regularly \$14
\$14, regularly \$18
\$15.25, regularly \$19
Third and Fourth Floors.

White Enamelled Iron Bedsteads.
\$1.85, regularly \$2.85
\$3.95, regularly \$5
\$4.50, regularly \$5.75
\$6.25, regularly \$7.75
\$7.75, regularly \$9.75
\$9.25, regularly \$11.50
\$10.25, regularly \$12.75
\$11, regularly \$16
\$15.50, regularly \$16
Brass Bedsteads.
\$16.50, regularly \$22
\$19.50, regularly \$27
\$29.75, regularly \$40
\$24.75, regularly \$33
\$27.75, regularly \$38
\$29.80, regularly \$43
\$38.50, regularly \$50

Men's Underwear and Hosiery.

THE STORE FOR MEN will be busy as a beehive to-morrow when men—and women who buy for busy men—realize how many and how unusually fine are the offerings of seasonable Underwear and Hosiery.

60c. Balbriggans at 29c.

75c. Lisle Underwear at 39c.

\$1 Lisle and Cotton Underwear at 50c.

\$1.25 Merino Underwear at 69c.

25c. and 35c. Socks at 12 1/2c.

60c. Socks at 35c. or 3 Pair for \$1.

Main Floor, Elm Place.

45c. Printed Foulard Silks, 25c.

FIVE THOUSAND YARDS, all of this season's designs, make the best offering of printed Silks we have had this season, the best value that has been obtainable heretofore. They include the most popular color combinations, such as navy and white and black and white. The Silk Store is full of exceptional news.

\$1.25 Royal Armure Silks, 69c.
75c. Colored Peau de Cygne, 49c.
75c. Colored Taffeta Silks at 59c.
75c. White Habutai Silks at 59c.
60c. White Habutai Silks at 69c.
45c. Guaranteed Black Taffeta at 49c.
75c. Guaranteed Black Taffeta, 59c.
90c. Guaranteed Black Taffeta, 69c.
\$1 Guaranteed Dress Taffeta, 79c.
Main Floor, Bond Street.

French and German Val. Laces, 19c. to \$2.75 Values—5c. to 69c. a doz. Yard

NEWS EVEN BETTER than that which made such a stir last week—for the Laces are finer, if anything, and the quantity is even larger.

Everybody wants the French and German Valenciennes now—yards and yards of them are used for trimming Summer frocks, waists and underwear. Prices are regularly pretty high and the stocks to be had are getting smaller. These are the little lots—mainly broken sets, that the importer was ready to close out at a fraction of their cost to him.

All are exquisite in design and all are perfect. In many cases the Laces and Insertions to match.

Main Floor, Center.